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Title: "METHOD OF SYNTHESIZING DIKETOPIPERAZINES"

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This application claims priority from U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/223,075, filed August 4, 2000. The entire disclosure of this provisional application is considered to be part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference. Enclosed for filing with the above-identified utility patent application are the following:

1. Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
2. Specification (Total Pages of Text, including Abstract and Claims: 22)
3. Return Postcard (MPEP 503) (should be specifically itemized)

FEE CALCULATION:

	(COL. 1) NO. FILED				(COL. 2*) NO. EXTRA		SMALL ENTITY			LARGE ENTITY	
							RATE	FEE		RATE	FEE
BASIC FEE:								\$355.00	OR		\$710.00
TOTAL CLAIMS:	20	-	20		0		X \$9 =	\$0.00	OR	X \$18 =	
INDEP. CLAIMS:	2	-	3		0		X \$40 =	\$0.00	OR	X \$80 =	
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS							+ \$135 =	\$	OR	+\$270 =	
*IF THE DIFFERENCE IN COL. 2 IS LESS THAN							TOTAL:	\$355.00			
*IF ZERO, ENTER "0" IN COL. 2											

OTHER INFORMATION:

1. **NO FEE IS ENCLOSED**
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